4. The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself :—

(*a*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*b*) That he shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards the kindling of fires and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offence committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*c*) That no operations shall take place in the forest after sunset or before sunrise.

(*d*) That the removal of the leaves is done by hand and not by bill-books.

(*e*) That not more than five stills are opened in each of the blocks comprised in the Range.

(*f*) That the site of the still first opened with the previous permission of the Range Officer is not changed to any other place during the working season.

(*g*) That no damage will be caused to the trees while collecting the leaves. Any such damage will be assessed by the Range Officer subject to the approval of the District Forest Officer. The District Forest Officer's decision in the assessment of damages will be final and the assessed damages will be recovered from the security deposit of the contractor.

(*h*) That the required quantity of fuel is cut and removed on prepaid licenses only from the plot selected and marked by the Range Officer.

(*i*) That for breach of any or all of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, employees or workmen the contract shall be *null and void* at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of cancellation of contract, enforce forfeiture of all or any part of deposit and resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (1) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

Note.—Interest at 6¼ per cent per annum will be levied on all arrears of amounts which are permitted to be paid after the due date.

N. VENKATARAMAIYA,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Sale Notification dated 16th June 1940.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting and transporting the minor forest produce grown on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrit Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations of Tarikere and Narasimharajpura Sub-Taluks for two years from 1st July 1940 to end of June 1942 will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati, on 15th July 1940 at 2 P.M. in the Sandal Koti, Tarikere.

For further conditions of the sale, please see detailed Notification No. D. 1-63-981—39-40, dated 15th April 1940 of the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, published on pages 895-899, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 18th April 1940.

H. S. RANGACHAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

BUREAU OF SANITARY ENGINEERING, BANGALORE.

Abstract Notification dated 6th June 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the notification calling for tenders for the work of "Constructing a Pump-house for water-supply to Belur Town" published on pages 1391-1392, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 13th June 1940.

The last date of receiving tenders is 1st July 1940.

Abstract Notification dated 7th June 1940.

The attention of the public is hereby invited to the notification calling for the "Labour portion of the work for laying pipe lines for water-supply to Belur Town," published on pages 1392-1393, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 13th June 1940.

The last date of receiving tenders is 1st July 1940.

Notification dated 10th June 1940.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Sanitary Engineer, Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, Bangalore, up to 1 P.M. on 8th July 1940, for constructing a Reinforced cement concrete water supply tank of 12,500 gallons capacity on 30 feet R.C.C. staging at Belur. The work should be completed by the end of 15th November 1940.

2. The quotations should accompany with detailed plans.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Sanitary Engineer, on a payment of annas four per copy. No tenders in non-printed forms will be accepted.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 125 in cash (no cheques will be accepted) as earnest money, and be superscribed " Tender for constructing a reinforced cement concrete water-supply tank of 12,500 gallons capacity on 30 feet R.C.C. staging at Belur," in default of which the tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Director of Public Health, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Sanitary Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Charges on account of scaffolding materials, implements for setting out, barricading, clearing site, supply of water, etc., that may be found necessary during execution will not be paid for separately but should be borne by the contractor.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the Department or those fixed by the Sanitary Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for, and in all matters of dispute about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of works, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Sanitary Engineer will be final and legally binding.

Notification dated 24th June 1940.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Sanitary Engineer, Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, Bangalore, up to 1 P.M. on 15th July 1940, for labour portion of the work for laying pipe lines for water-supply to Chitaldrug town from Kathral tank. An approximate estimate of quantities is given below. These quantities are not guaranteed. The work should be completed by June 1941.

2. The plans, detailed estimate and conditions may be seen at the Sanitary Engineer's Office between the hours of 11 A.M. and 5 P.M. on all office days.

3. Tenders should be submitted on printed forms which may be obtained from the Sanitary Engineer on payment of four annas for each form. No tenders in non-prescribed form shall be accepted. The tenders should be accompanied by a statement in the form given below, showing the rates at which the different items specified will be executed.

4. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,728 in cash (no cheques will be accepted) as earnest money, and be superscribed " Tender for labour portion of the work for laying pipe lines for water-supply to Chitaldrug town from Kathral tank," in default of which the tenders will be rejected.

5. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Sanitary Engineer, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender or to assign any reason whatever for the rejection of any tender.

6. Within eight days of the acceptance of the tender, the successful competitor will be required to execute the usual contract bond, in default of which his tender will be considered cancelled and his earnest money will be forfeited.

7. The name of the successful competitor, whose tender has been accepted, will be posted on the Notice Board in the Sanitary Engineer's Office in due course. No enquiries regarding the acceptance or rejection of a tender will receive any reply.

8. On acceptance of one of the tenders, the earnest money on rejected tenders will be returned.

9. Charges on account of scaffolding materials, implements for setting out, barricading, clearing site, supply of water, etc., that may be found necessary during execution will not be paid for separately but should be borne by the contractor.

10. Rates for non-tendered and non-estimated items shall be as per schedule rates of the Department or those fixed by the Sanitary Engineer after working out data with not more than 10 per cent for contractor's profit.

11. In all matters not specifically provided for and in all matters of disputes about rates, quantities, measurements, quality of works, etc., and in all disputes of any kind, the decision of the Sanitary Engineer will be final and legally binding.

Estimate of the approximate quantities for the labour portion of the work for laying pipe lines for giving water-supply to Chitaldrug town.

No.	Items of work	Unit	Quantity
	Rising Main.		
	Labour charges :—		
1	Earthwork excavation and refilling for the pipe trench ordinary soil charged with small pebbles including consolidation	C.yd.	4,500
	Do do hard gravelly soil charged with boulder		
	do do do	,,	3,000
	Soft rock cutting for pipe trench	,,	2,000
	Hard rock requiring blasting, for pipe trench	,,	500
2	Laying and lead jointing 9″ C. I. pipes and specials with caulking, etc., complete including cost of lead, etc.	Joint	3,360
3	Do 7″ pipes	,,	550
4	Constructing valve cisterns as per type design $2\frac{1}{2}' \times 2\frac{1}{2}' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$ ..	Each	18
	Improvement of distribution system.		
1	Earthwork excavation and refilling with watering and tamping—		
	In hard gravel	C.yd.	1,055
	In soft rock	,,	236
	Laying and lead jointing 5″ C. I.	Joint	620
	Do 4″ C. I.	,,	550
	Do 3″ C. I. pipes 9′ long with lead joints ..	,,	140
	Laying and jointing 2″ G. I. pipe including earthwork, etc., complete $1\frac{1}{2}'$ depth	R.ft.	2,000
	Laying and jointing $1\frac{1}{2}''$ G. I. pipe with earthwork $1\frac{1}{2}'$ depth and refilling, etc., complete	,,	2,000
	Do 1″ G. I. pipe line including earthwork, etc.	,,	2,000
	Constructing public fountain platforms as per type design complete	No.	60

K. S. HUTCHA RAO,
Sanitary Engineer.

KOLAR DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 8th June 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 8th June 1940, published on pages 1395-1397, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 13th June 1940, *re* tenders for maintenance work to Kandavara Amanikere (major) Register No. 6 in Chikballapur Taluk.

The last date for lodging of tender is 29th June 1940 up to 2 P.M.

Abstract Notification dated 9th June 1940.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification dated 8th June 1940, published on pages 1397-1399, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 13th June 1940, regarding tenders for Restoring Chadumanahalli Kodagikere Tank, Registered No. 43 (unrestored minor tank) in Kolar Taluk. The last date for lodging of tender is up to 2 P.M. on 29th June 1940.

Notification dated 19th June 1940.

1. Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the Executive Engineer, Kolar Division, up to 2 P.M. on 13th July 1940, for opening a Feeder Channel to the Kadalvani Tank (Reg. No. 32) from Kumadvathi river in Goribidnur Taluk.